

LOCAL NEWS.

The summer schedule of the Eastern Shore Steamboat Company will be found in another column.

For the latest styles, best fits and lowest prices in dressmaking, call on Miss Jennie A. Johnson, Leemont.

Mr. William Conquest and Miss Maggie Savage were married at Temperanceville last Sunday by Rev. M. Oldham.

Mr. and Mrs. George L. Moore, of Crisfield, Md., returned to their home on Saturday, after a short visit to friends in the county.

A fair will be held at Sanford Methodist church, Messong on the 4th of July. Addresses will be delivered by prominent speakers on the occasion.

Misses Nannie and Marianna Higgins of our town, left for Middletown, West Virginia last Monday, to attend the Normal school located there.

Ready-made clothing, for men, boys and youths, suitable for all purposes from a work to a marriage suit, can be had at Mr. D. H. Johnson's store, Accomac at a very low price.

Mr. John W. Shovel, of Berlin, Md., and Miss Bettie R. West, of Accomac, were married at the home of Mr. Richard West, Guilford, on 10th inst., Rev. J. W. Handley officiating.

A Cantata will come off in the Masonic Hall at Drummondtown, Monday night, 22nd inst., for purpose of raising funds to pay off debt on rectory. Refreshments will be served on the occasion.

The earliest Irish potatoes in market this season from our county were produced by Cedar Island and Virginia Guano, fertilizers, manufactured by O. A. Brown, and Powell, Morse & Co., respectively.

Mr. Spates, a member of the popular firm of R. T. Dawson & Co., Baltimore, is in the county at this time, and is receiving orders from our merchants to an extent, which shows that the firm has lost none of its old time prosperity.

Valuable real estate and mill property to be offered for sale at public auction on 1st July next by Dr. F. Drummond, executor, through our columns to-day, deserve the especial attention of those who wish to invest their money judiciously.

Irish potatoes, grown this year are now being shipped to market by our farmers. The first shipment from this county reported to us was made by Mr. Geo. P. Parks, of Leemont last Tuesday. Mr. Geo. W. Ashm of Oceanhook, Northampton, made the first shipment from his county.

Dr. John W. Bowdoin, a prominent physician of this county and Miss Flora Hines of Louisiana were married at the bride's residence near New Orleans, Tuesday 2nd inst., and arrived home last Monday. The bride, during a visit to the county last summer made many friends who welcome her return.

Mr. Peter W. East, has an acre of strawberries, "Monarch of the West" on his farm near Oceanhook, from which he had gathered to 11th inst. 4,250 quarts. A basket of them was sent to this office and we know whereof we speak, when we say that none larger or of more delicious flavor are grown in the county. Thanks, friend Peter.

Mr. A. T. Johnson, attorney, will sell at public auction on next Saturday, 20th inst., valuable real estate of Geo. W. Nock, on the premises near Fair Oak's station. Persons who wish to secure a home in one of the most delightful sections of our county and in a short distance of an important shipping point on our railroad should attend the sale.

Brown, Jacob & Co. are constantly in receipt of letters inquiring of our lands. One from Cape Cod may result in a colony of those heavy sows of toil. We shall gladly welcome them. We need workers, and these men are just that class. Come down, gentlemen, Brown, Jacob & Co. will sell you good lands, and our people will give you a most hearty welcome.

We have received from George W. Boyd, Asst. Gen'l Passenger Agent, Pennsylvania R. R. an advance copy of the "Summer Excursion Route Book" of that company, for which we are under obligations. It is beautifully illustrated with maps and engravings, and its descriptive matter is most carefully compiled. The connective routes are clearly stated, with all information needed. To anyone desiring to travel the book is invaluable.

Capt. O. A. Browne, at his own expense, has brought to the county one of Pennock's "road machines." On a piece of road near a trial was made with good results. Near Tinsley station the trial was most satisfactory. Owing to the meagre attendance of members on Wednesday the Board of Supervisors did not think it advisable to present to discuss the road question. The Captain, with that spirit of enterprise so characteristic of him, has offered its use FREE to the corporation of Oceanhook to fully test its merits. We need more men of the enterprise and advanced ideas of Capt. Browne.

Chinotown.

A sail boat now carries our mail—the U. S. mail steamer is in Norfolk. The Wallop Island sheep penning was a failure, owing to the high winds.

Two of our fish factories opened this week, but so far "no catch" has been made.

A new storehouse being erected here by Mr. L. E. Mumford will be the largest in the county.

We are expecting a big 4th of July. Distinguished speakers, fire works and a brass band are promised.

Mr. A. J. Powell of Berlin, Md., now engaged in "bedding and shipping crabs" from this point, gives employment to many of our citizens.

Mr. J. E. Matthews lost a valuable blooded heifer last week, "with blind staggers," which was a New Year's gift to him from Governor of Delaware.

Hamilton Diston, H. C. Forest, T. L. Harrison and Captain Mallory, engineer, to locate the light house on Killick shoals, were guests at the Atlantic hotel last week.

A social game of base ball between our club and the nine of Greenlatchville at the latter named place, on the afternoon of the 6th, resulted in a victory for the Greenlatch boys. Score 21 to 17. A second game is announced for the 13th at this place.

Onancock. Next Sunday is children's day both in the Baptist and M. E. Church of this place.

It is evident that Irish potatoes will be shipped from this point next week "of a variable size."

The commencement exercises at the Academy occurs about the 25th. They will be unusually interesting.

The contract for carrying the mail between this place and Tinsley station has been awarded to Mr. B. T. Parker.

Our mail service on the railroad seems to be getting worse instead of better. Twice in the last two weeks the mail has come in so late that it had to be distributed the next morning.—Where is Bro. Brent?

Northampton County.

Transfers of land for the month of May: Wm. L. Scott et ux to Benjamin F. Kellogg of this county, lot No. 534 in the town of Cape Charles; \$200.

Robert S. Costin et ux to Pattie Jackson, lately moved to Northampton, 146 a. near Eastville; \$2,900.

George T. Hawkins et ux to Abel T. Ashby, 8 or 10 acres, more or less, in Oceanhook Neck; \$85.

Thomas Braxton, colored, to S. Andrew Doughty, 2 acres more or less, near Capeville; \$90.

Franklin Kimball of Giles county, Va. to T. E. Doe et ux of Kennebeck county, Maine, consideration \$1, being a part of Battle Point containing 100 acres.

William L. Scott et ux to L. E. Mumford of Worcester county, Md., lot No. 627; \$180.

Edgar J. Spady in his own right and his wife, and as trustee for his said wife to L. W. Reid, trustee for his said wife, Emma C. Reid of Alexandria, 144 acres for \$7,000.

Peter J. Carter, guardian, &c., and special commissioner to Jno. T. Rogers, 27 acres near Franktown; \$337.50.

Court Proceedings. Will of Mrs. Sally A. Fisher, proved, and B. T. Ginter qualified as executor.

Ordinary license granted to John T. Spady at Cobb's Island.

John B. Williams, Wm. E. Waddy and George H. Adair qualified as Supervisors.

William R. Wescott and Hampton James, colored, qualified as Justices of the Peace.

John W. Gladson qualified as Constable.

John T. Whitehead and J. Almer Smith qualified as Overseers of the Poor.

New Advertisements. We invite the especial attention of our farmers to the Commission Merchant's advertisements published in THE ENTERPRISE. The list is such a select one that you cannot go astray if you ship your produce to any of them. Each is worthy of, and will receive a more particular notice in the future issues of this paper. For the present we can only present to you their names.

BOSTON. Chapin Bros., Patch & Roberts, Rice & Holway, Hodsdon & Co., W. O. Rogers & Co.

NEW YORK. G. S. Palmer, D. D. Starin, Lyle & Smith, John H. Newton, S. H. & E. H. Frost, Bodine & Hinchey, Liscomb & Leonard, J. H. Balderburg & Bro., E. A. Brown & Co., R. E. Cochran & Co., G. T. Bunting, Titus Bros., Hines & Mansfield, Geo. W. Judd, Brower Bros., Curtis E. Mapes, Brown & DeWinter, Phillips, Henry & Co., Robert Gordon & Co., B. H. Andrews & Co., Wm. A. Hatch, Heard Bros. & Co., G. Furman & Co., T. H. Bingham & Co., J. J. Fredericks.

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BALTIMORE. W. R. Byrd & Co., L. P. Justis & Co., M. W. Gladding.

G. A. R. Post Organized. Please publish that a G. A. R. Post was organized at Savageville A. M. E. Church, Monday, June 1st, by Walter S. Wilson, Asst. Mustering Officer of Shaw Post of Norfolk. The Post starts out with a membership of 50. The following are its officers: Post Commander, Caleb Taylor; Senior Vice Commander, John Gaskins; Junior Vice Commander, John Sunkett; Chaplain, Levi Finney. Rev. Peter Shepherd was the leading pioneer in effecting this grand result just accomplished. Mr. Caleb Taylor deserves great praise for his untiring energy in helping to reach this required result. The mustering officer spoke in the highest praise of Rev. Mr. Shepherd's congregation for being so hospitable in entertaining strangers.—He also spoke of the prosperous condition of the people, and assured them that he had traveled a good deal, but no place had he found the colored people so prosperous. He says also, that the white people are always approachable and ready to give information at all times.

A MEMBER.

Communication.

MR. EDITOR:—A letter, dated Richmond, May 26, 1885, and signed "Justice," appears in your last issue. The writer seems to think that with "Marre in the Auditor's office" (and probably Barksdale sitting at the door of the Treasury), "Virginia would be the grand old Virginia of other days." As public officers we propose to discuss these gentlemen. "Col. Marre and Mr. Barksdale desire to do their full duty to the State and people of every section," says "Just one," "and all that is necessary to insure this at their hands is that they may have intelligent understanding of any case or matter which comes within the province of their jurisdiction."

"Justice" informs us, an evidence of their zealous work, fitness, and "intelligent understanding," that the Board of Public Works, (consisting of the Governor, Auditor and Treasurer) "from lack of knowledge of the real situation and requirements of the case" only "put sailboats in commission" after being instructed in their duty by another, and but for this outside rubbing up of their "intelligent understanding" the oyster beds of the Eastern Shore would have been left a prey to any destroyer. When Accomac asked at their hands the appointment of a Democrat eminently qualified for the post sought she found they had no "intelligent understanding" of her splendid majority in 1883. Perhaps the Mahoneite governor did—for she was refused. Again when she sought she found the curious eclipse was still there. The anomaly was presented of one being greater than two. It is to be hoped the lesson "know thyself" has been taught—and nothing hereafter will be lost by the interlocking of horns of two of the same herd. The Eastern Shore has found that nearly five-sixths of the appropriation to create an oyster fleet was wasted in building a State yacht drawing nine feet of water to run in creeks of five feet depth on the bars—more worthless for her purpose than the Talapoosa or Dolphin,—"the intelligent understanding" of these two Democrats has imperiled "from lack of knowledge of the real situation and requirements of the case" "a matter" of vital importance to these people. It is further to be noted that, according to "Justice," but for prompting the "intelligent understanding" and lack of knowledge of these officials they would "several weeks ago" have withdrawn the sail boats and left our oyster beds open to the plundering "non-resident dredgers" who "would literally decimate the rocks."

The State has learned that from a want of "intelligent understanding" of the duties, a "lack of knowledge of the requirements of the case" of this office for ten months after the Auditor assigned his duties Smith continued his penitential—amounting when discovered by the curiosity of a new clerk, not by the Auditor, to \$150,000 or thereabout.

No doubt they "desire to do their full duty to the State and people of every section," but it seems from the above they have failed in some points. "Justice," who in this case at least is not blind, sees why and tells it too. It is a want of "intelligent understanding" of official duties, and "a lack of knowledge of the requirements of the case or matter." Once "intelligently understanding," they go ahead—but the State cannot afford to employ promptings guardians for her officials, who are suffering from chronic "lack of knowledge," nor the Democrats to save their appointees from the wiles of a hungry Mahoneite. The lack of these essentials points to danger and warns the "State and people of every section" to demand business men for business work, and to refuse to accept men, whose only qualification is that they are "pushed" by men who owe them political reward.

We hope no member from the Eastern Shore will be willing to retain in office, or appoint such men, and we call upon those who are candidates for the Legislature to speak out and tell the "people of this section" whether, if elected, they will make competency by virtue of business training, or political reward only, the measure of fitness for these offices.

EASTERN SHORE.

Sale of the College Property.

The College property at Onancock was sold by Gunter & Blackstone, special commissioners, last Saturday, for the sum of \$8,204. The following shows the purchasers and prices paid for each lot:

- No. 1 On which the main residence is located, was purchased by T. A. Joyner, Jr., at the price of \$3,000.
- No. 2 R. T. Aimes, \$460.
- No. 3 T. A. Joyner, \$265.
- No. 4 Dr. E. W. Robertson, \$190.
- Nos. 5, 6, 7, 8 Capt. Henry Crockett, \$150, \$105, \$105, \$105, respectively.
- Nos. 9, 10 T. A. Joyner, Jr., \$90 and \$160.
- No. 11 J. A. Hall, \$70.
- Nos. 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17 Wm. Killman, \$100, \$170, \$170, \$191, \$211, \$325, respectively.
- No. 18 John T. Coleburn, \$400.
- No. 19 Smith Walter, \$400.
- No. 20 R. J. Bell, \$205.
- No. 21 Dr. King, colored, \$366.
- No. 22, 23 Capt. Thomas Johnson, \$220, \$110.
- No. 24 Stephen Hopkins, \$76.
- No. 25 George W. Mason, \$150.
- No. 26 Capt. John Rogers, \$150.
- No. 27 Capt. Thomas Johnson, \$160.

Elliott Cultivator.

MR. EDITOR:—I wish to say that I am favorably impressed by the practical use of Elliott's combined cultivator and hiller. To-day, June 4th, I started two of his cultivators in my potato patch—the ground was hard in consequence of heavy rains, and in 7 hours the two cultivators thoroughly worked 40,000 potato sprouts in checks—the ground was very trashy. Any person wishing to see the work can do so by examining my potato patch. It is the kind of all cultivators that I have seen worked by one horse, and apparently with ease to the horse. Very respectfully,

John E. Bradford, Locustmount, Va. June 5, 1885.

Religious Notices.

Appointments of Rev. J. H. Amies, Presiding Elder, M. E. Church, South. Third round quarterly meetings, Eastern Shore District:

- Pungoteague, Oak Grove, June 13 and 14.
- Belle Haven, Upshur's Neck, June 21 and 22.
- Wicomico, Asbury, June 27 and 28.
- District Conference, at Capeville, Eastville circuit, will convene July 21.
- Camp-meeting, Turlington's ground, Pungoteague circuit, will commence on August 6.

Political Meeting.

By request, I shall address the people of Accomac on the political topics of the day, as follows:

- Mapesbury, June 13th, 1885;
- New Church, June 20th;
- Temperanceville, June 27th;
- Court House, June 29th, court-day;
- Onancock, July 4th;
- Pungoteague, July 11th;
- Chinotown Island, July 18th;
- Wachapreague, July 25th;
- Postmasters please notify.

N. J. W. LEATO.

Announcement.

A meeting of the Democratic voters of Accomac county will be held on the 29th of June, 1885, (court-day), to select delegates to the Democratic convention to meet in Richmond, on the 29th of July, next, to nominate the Democratic candidates for Governor, Lieut. Governor and Attorney General.

Geo. T. Garrison, Chairman  
Geo. F. Parramore, Secretary.

Accomac C. H., Va., June 11th, 1885

DIED.

COARD—June 7th, 1885, near Drummondtown, of diarrhoea, Clara Coard, daughter of Wm. F. Coard, aged 2 years and 3 months.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

FOR SALE.—A laggonette table, newly covered and in other respects in good repair for \$25. Geo. F. Parker, Accomac C. H., Va.

FOR RENT.—House and Lot in Modestown belonging to Mrs. A. P. Northam called Pleasant Lot. Apply to Ben T. Ginter, Accomac C. H., Va.

Or John D. Wimbrough, Modestown, Va.

Mrs. Walter J. Hall, of Messong is now in the city and will return home on Monday, April 27th with a line of millinery goods, notions, &c.

NOTICE.—Sam Bell, purchased at the sale of Jas. H. Amies, will stand for service at Lilliston's stables in Drummondtown every Saturday.

II. Lee Lilliston, W. B. Coxton.

FOR LOAN.—Two thousand dollars on unencumbered real estate. The borrower pays charges. Charles P. Finney, Committee of Hannibal Fletcher.

FOR SALE.—One pair of match Bonnie Scotland bay mares, 5 years old, 15 hands high. Very gentle, drive well either in single or double harness; one yacht canoe, 27½ long, 5½ wide in good order, newly painted and has two sets of sails, fast sailer, name "Red Wing." One hundred and fifty bushels of white corn. Apply for terms.

C. T. Taylor, Jenkins Bridge, Accomac, Va.

FOR RENT.—The farm at Jolly Neck, now occupied by L. K. Marshall. It is a two horse tract, and there are enough shatters, woods dirt and marsh-turf near the place for a potato man.

Apply to C. T. Taylor, Jenkins Bridge, Accomac, Va.

FOR SALE OR RENT.—I offer for sale or rent for year 1886, the house and lot in Locustville, on which A. J. Kellam now resides. If sold, possession given Jan. 1st, 1886. Wm. S. Hope, Pungoteague, Va.

FOR SALE.—A good cow fresh to the pail. Also a calf 5 weeks old on reasonable terms. Elizabeth A. Lilliston, Drummondtown.

FOR SALE.—A five-gallon cow, soon to calf, has an immense bag. Price \$75. O. A. Browne.

NOTICE.—All persons having cattle, sheep or hogs on Wallop's Island are hereby notified to remove them on or before 25th inst. Thos. L. Birch, Agent for owners.

FOR SALE.—Bonnie, gray colt, one year old, by W. Morrill, dam Katie didn't, registered thorough bred. See Bruce American Stud Book, vol. iv, page 255. Katie possesses the blood of Lexington Imp. Australian, Revenue and Eclipse, the combination that produced Drake Carter. Katie has fine looking action and speed, and so has this colt. He is offered for sale that he may be kept entire. Price \$250. O. A. Browne.

Floyd & Co., corner of Pratt street and Bowley's wharf, Baltimore, Md., manufacture a high grade Bone Super Phosphate, which has been thoroughly tested and proved satisfactory. Their "Truckers' Delight Universal and Peerless" brands have no Superiors for early vegetables, Corn, Potatoes &c. Consult your interests and use no other. For sale by W. E. Jacob & Sons, Bell Haven O. W. Godwin, Guilford. R. E. Floyd, Northampton.

Lost.—On Saturday, May 16th, between Pungoteague and Locustville, a bundle of bills tied with red tape, marked "Pungoteague." The bills are of no value to anyone except the undersigned. The finder will be rewarded by leaving it at the office of Gunter & Blackstone, Accomac C. H., Va.

LADIES.—The latest novelties and the lowest prices in Millinery goods can be found at Miss Lou Johnson's, Leemont, Va. She will be glad to see all her friends and the public.

W. Morrill and Gray Morrill will make the spring season in Accomac and Northampton each at \$25, to insure a mare with foal.

Chancellor and Middleton will be at Eastville, April court, and stand there, \$30 will be charged to insure a colt by either. March 1st, 1885.

NOTICE.—The old firm of J. C. Boggs & Co., having lately dissolved, all persons indebted to us are respectfully and earnestly requested to come forward and settle at once. After the first of September next, all bills due us not settled by cash or note, will be placed in the hands of the constable for collection. J. C. Boggs, Nandua.

NOTICE.—Fifteen dollars will be paid to the owner of the finest St. James' colt exhibited at the Grange Fair, A. T. James, Locustville.

FOR RENT.—I offer for rent for the year 1886, my house and lot in Locustville. The dwelling is conveniently arranged with seven private rooms, parlors, pantry, closets, and all necessary out-buildings, everything new and in first class condition. Rupert T. Christian, Wachapreague, Va.

FOR SALE.—One hundred thousand feet of dried building lumber is now on hand. A. J. Lilliston, Accomac C. H., Va.

NOTICE.—All persons indebted to me for Hotel bills are requested to come forward and settle at once. Fred Waddy.

BIDS WANTED.—All persons are requested, who wish to offer bids for building the Baptist Church at Marsh Market to deposit them, under with James A. Hall, secretary, before the 20th day of June, 1885. The dimensions of the church will be 45x34 ft., 18 ft. post. The builder will be required to complete the church, seats and pulpit excepted. Front steps are considered part of the building and must be furnished. The church will have two front doors, two transept windows, eight large windows with weights—the corner window and door post must be mortised, the lower braces to be let in with dovetail, upper braces to be let in with mortise and tenon. The floor must be finished on the ground, flooring ready prepared, and other boards to be jacked at the expense of the committee, roof to be braced with 3 sets of braces. The money will be paid for building one-half when work is well completed; the other half when finished. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Henry Hall, chairman.

Mrs. Elizabeth Savage of Belle Haven, is at home, with a large and well selected stock of millinery goods and feels confident that she is prepared to please both in quality and price, not only her lady customers who have favored her in the past with their patronage but every one who will call to see her. Her reputation in her line of business is too well established to need our commendation.

VALUABLE REAL ESTATE AND MILL FOR SALE AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

By virtue of the authority vested in me, by the last will and testament of John R. Drummond, deceased, I shall, as the executor therein named, offer for sale at Public Auction, on Thursday, the 9th day of July, at 3 p. m., on the premises, the following valuable real estate and mill property, situated at Wiseville, of which said John R. Drummond died, seized and possessed.

1. A valuable water grist and saw mill known as Drummond's mill.

2. A tract of land containing about 80 acres, especially adapted to the growth of trucks, well timbered, with almost inexhaustible resources and improved by a good dwelling and all necessary out-buildings.

3. A small parcel of land and a storehouse located thereon; a first-class site for the sale of merchandise, and business carried on successfully there for many years.

4. A parcel of land containing 20 acres with dwelling thereon.

5. Two small parcels of land with small houses thereon.

The property advertised is four miles from Accomac C. H., and one mile from Leemont, and will be offered for sale as a whole and not as subdivided in description given above.

TERMS OF SALE. Five per centum of the purchase money to be paid in cash on the day of sale, the residue in three equal instalments in six, twelve and eighteen months from the day of sale, with interest from the 1st day of January, A. D. 1886, secured by bonds of the purchaser with satisfactory personal security thereto. Purchaser to be at liberty to anticipate said deferred payments and to have a conveyance of the premises at his own expense when all the purchase money is paid. Possession to be given of the premises on January 1st, 1886, and all rents from said real estate or of said mill property during the year 1885 are expressly reserved.

Premises are to be at risk of purchaser from the time the same are bid off.

Given under my hand this 9th day of June, 1885.

FLETCHER DRUMMOND, Executor.

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NOTICE.

Take notice that on the 13th day of June 1885, I shall apply to the Circuit Court of Accomac county, Virginia, for an order directing that the funds under the control of the court belonging to Mabel Adair, Edwina Adair and John Adair, infant children of Edwin L. Adair, deceased, said funds being the proceeds of their real and personal estate, be transferred to me as their foreign guardian, with authority to me to remove the same out of the State of Virginia and to the State of Delaware in which latter State the said infants reside, and to the said infants reside, and to place under my control and management all bonds, notes and other evidences of debt belonging to said infants.

JOHN J. DOUGHERTY, Guardian, By GEO. T. GARRISON, his Atty.

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